## In the Abstract

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The invention concerns a M method for determining the reclose time of a circuit breaker on a three-phase high-voltage electric network after separation of contacts 7A, 8A, 7B, 8B, 7C, 8C in the presence of a fault on one of the three phases A, B or C includes, the determination of the reclose time comprising the following steps:

- —measuring the voltages ULAO, ULBO and ULCO,
- —measuring voltage USAO,
- —determining the voltage US<sub>A0</sub>, US<sub>B0</sub>, and US<sub>CO</sub>,
- —calculating the differences UL<sub>AB</sub>, UL<sub>AC</sub> and UL<sub>BC</sub>,
- ——calculating the differences US<sub>AB</sub>, US<sub>AC</sub>, and US<sub>BC</sub>. From these measurements and calculations, a determination of
- ----determining the reclose time is made on the basis of the voltage differences.

## Figure 2